# **AMENDED ORDINANCE NO. 20A**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE CITY OF WALLIS ORDINANCE NO. 20 PROVIDING FOR LICENSING AND IMPOUNDING OF DOGS.

WHEREAS, THE CITY OF WALLIS, TEXAS enacted Ordinance No. 20 on the 13th day of January, 1975, regulating the keeping of dogs within the city limits of the City of Wallis, etc., and;

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that said Ordinance No. 20 should, in the interest of the public, be amended in certain respects as herein set out.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WALLIS, TEXAS:

## ARTICLE 1: AMENDMENT

Ordinance No. 20 is hereby amended as follows:

All of Ordinance No. 20 is left intact and shall remain effective and unchanged as stated therein, except that Section 2(B), Section 6(A) and Section 10, all of Article 1 of said ordinance, are hereby repealed and, in lieu of said sections, the following substituted sections are enacted and henceforth shall be effective and included as an integral part of original Ordinance No. 20 by and through this Amended Ordinance 20A, and said sections shall now be enacted and read as follows:

## ARTICLE 1

## SECTION 2: REGISTRATION AND LICENSING OF DOGS

B. Fee, Application. All such licenses shall be issued by the City Secretary upon payment of license fee in the amount of four dollars (\$4.00) and presentation of a properly completed application for license and certification from a licensed veterinarian showing that the said dog has been vaccinated for rabies within one year from the date application is made for such license; application for a license shall be upon printed forms furnished by the City for such purpose and shall require the name and address of the owner and the name, breed, color and sex of said dog.

# **SECTION 6: IMPOUNDMENT**

- A. Upon the payment of a charge calculated as follows:
  - 1. a pick-up fee assessed by a charge of ten dollars (\$10.00), plus an additional ten dollars (\$10.00) times the number of times the subject dog was

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previously impounded during the twelve months preceding the date of impoundment; plus

2. ten dollars (\$10.00) for each day and fractional part thereof for which said dog has been impounded.

#### SECTION 10: CARE OF IMPOUNDED DOGS

The Pound Master shall cause all dogs so impounded to be properly fed and cared for while in said pound and shall monthly render a bill for the expenses of feeding and housing said dogs to City Council for approval and payment.

# **ARTICLE 2: GENERAL PROVISIONS**

# **SECTION 1: SEVERABILITY**

If any section, part or provision of this ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid, all other parts of this ordinance shall not be affected thereby and shall remain in full force and effect.

### **SECTION 2: PUBLISHING**

This ordinance shall be published in its entirety in the Wallis News Review, the official weekly newspaper for the City of Wallis, Texas, at least once prior to the effective date of this ordinance.

#### **SECTION 3: EFFECTIVE DATE**

The effective date of this ordinance is June 1, 1997.

PASSED AND APPROVED at a special meeting of the City Council of the City of Wallis, Austin County, Texas on this the 20th day of May, A.D., 1997.

Tony Salasan
TONY SALAZAR, Mayor

ATTEST:

BARBARA GRIGAR, City Secretary

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